Maine Revised Statutes

Title 32: PROFESSIONS AND OCCUPATIONS

Chapter 113: PRACTICE OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTANCY HEADING: PL 1987, c. 489, §2 (new)

§12273-A. DENIAL OR REFUSAL TO RENEW LICENSE; DISCIPLINARY ACTION

In addition to the grounds enumerated in Title 10, section 8003, subsection 5-A, paragraph A, the board may deny a license, refuse to renew a license or impose the disciplinary sanctions authorized by Title 10, section 8003, subsection 5-A for: [2007, c. 402, Pt. Z, §20 (NEW).]

1. Loss of authority in other state. Cancellation, revocation, suspension or refusal to renew authority to engage in the practice of public accountancy in any other state for any cause;

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[ 2007, c. 402, Pt. Z, §20 (NEW) .]
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2. Failure to maintain compliance. Failure, on the part of an applicant or a licensee to maintain compliance with the requirements for issuance or renewal of that license or to report the changes to the board required by section 12252, subsection 6;

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[ 2009, c. 242, §23 (AMD) .]
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3. **Revocation or suspension of right to practice.** Revocation or suspension of the right to practice before any state or federal agency;

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[ 2007, c. 402, Pt. Z, §20 (NEW) .]
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4. Dishonesty, fraud, gross negligence, failure to file. Dishonesty, fraud or gross negligence in the practice of public accountancy or in the filing or failure to file the licensee's own income tax returns;

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[ 2007, c. 402, Pt. Z, §20 (NEW) .]
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5. **Fraud.** Performance of any fraudulent act while holding a license issued under this chapter or a certificate or license issued under prior law; and

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[ 2009, c. 242, §24 (AMD) .]
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6. **Adverse conduct.** Any conduct reflecting adversely upon the licensee's fitness to engage in the practice of public accountancy.

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[ 2007, c. 402, Pt. Z, §20 (NEW) .]

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2007, c. 402, Pt. Z, §20 (NEW). 2009, c. 242, §§23, 24 (AMD).
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